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Please amend this continuing application as follows:

**In the Specification**

On page one (1), after the title and before "INTRODUCTION", please add the following section:

**CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This is a continuation application of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/014,942, filed on October 26, 2001, now U.S. Patent 6,557,992, which is incorporated by reference herein.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-16, 22 and 23 have been cancelled in the present continuation application. Claims 17-21 remain in this application.

**Rejection of Claim 17 under 35 U.S.C. Section 103(a)**

In an Office Action dated October 7, 2002 for parent U.S. Application Serial No. 10/014,942 (hereinafter the "Office Action"), Examiner Do rejects Claim 17 under 35 U.S.C. Section 103(a) as being unpatentable over Pangburn (U.S. Des. 413,142)